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**AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING  
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action of the United States Patent and Trademark Office dated July 23, 2007, the time for response to which having been extended for one month from October 23, 2007, to and including November 23, 2007, by the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time, and further to the Request for Continued Examination submitted, herewith, Applicant respectfully submits the following revisions and remarks:

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**Remarks** begin on page 20 of this paper.